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1. Construction of the Nanning airfield, begun in March 1951 under Soviet supervision, was completed on 31 July. The field has four runways, two of which are 800 meters long and 50 meters wide and can accommodate heavy bombers (sic). The largest number of "heavy bombers" thus far to have landed on the field at one time is seven. They are usually flown from Canton, remain overnight, and return to Canton the next day.
2. The field is equipped with the following:
  - a. One gasoline tank seven meters square, built entirely of reinforced concrete two meters above the ground and two meters below, on the northeast corner of the field.
  - b. One hangar, accommodating six fighter planes.
  - c. A weather observatory on the southwest corner of the field.
  - d. Eleven buildings on the ground surface surrounding the field.
  - e. Three anti-aircraft guns and five anti-aircraft machine guns on each side of the field.
3. The field is not equipped with radar and there are no planes now based at the field.

4. The Pai Wu airfield, about two kilometers from the city of Ch'inchou, is about two kilometers long and 1.5 kilometers wide. Work on the field was begun on 5 March 1951 and was carried out by 5,000 laborers under the supervision of seven Soviet engineers, headed by Ch'ien-erh-chi-fu, Fa-erh-no (千尔基夫 马尔諾). It was completed on 30 July. The field has two runways, one 600 by 50 meters and the other 300 by 50 meters, running parallel north and south about 100 meters apart.

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5. The field is equipped with the following:
- a. A meteorological observation station, 12 meters high and 5 meters wide, now under construction on the northwest corner of the field.
  - b. Five buildings, including two temporary storehouses containing miscellaneous items, two used by army officials, and one which serves as the administrative offices of the field.
  - c. Gasoline dumps now being built on a steep hill along the river-bank opposite the field and scheduled for completion in September.
6. The field is not yet equipped with radar.

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